



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Andrea Piva et al.

ied : June 27, 2003

COMPOSITION FOR USE IN ANIMAL NUTRITION COMPRISING A CONTROLLED RELEASE LIPID MATRIX, METHOD FOR PREPARING

THE COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR THE TREATMENT OF

MONOGASTRIC ANIMALS

TC/A.U. : 1761

Examiner : Chhaya D. Sayala

Confirmation No. : 6954
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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office action mailed December 1, 2006 having a three-month response date of March 1, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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